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EDMONTON, ALBERTA, WEDNESDAY, FEB. 10, 1954

New Cafe To Open Soon

LAC LA BICHE—Joe Strembitzky who formerly operated the Recreation Bowling Centre, will soon be at his familiar spot serving coffee. Sometime ago Joe purchased the property across the street from the Bowling Alley and adjacent to Michael Hammar's store. The building formerly was a restaurant but has been closed for the past few years. Joe has completely remodelled and redecorated the interior and has also made some alterations on the outside. The new coffee shop will be known as "Joe's Coffee Shop." Men were busy putting the last bits of paint and Joe was moving the juke box, freezer, etc., into place in preparation for the opening this week. Besides being redecorated the place has been provided with a men's and

With the opening of Joe's Coffee Shop, the town of Lac La Biche should be able to provide all concerned with excellent cafe service as the town will now have five cafes. Besides Joe's Coffee Shop the other cafes are: The Alberta Cafe, The York Coffee Shop, The Royal Cafe and the Bowling Alley lunch counter. This is the second new cafe opened in this town within the last few months.

Mr. E. St. Jean Passes Away At Plamondon

CHARRON — Mr. Evangeliste St. Jean, one-time resident of Charron, passed away in the Lac la Biche Hospital on Feb. 1.

Mr. St. Jean farmed in Charron. Two years ago he retired and moved to Plamondon.

He leaves to mourn, his wife and 14 children, six boys, Abraham of Charron, Harvey of St. Albert, Ameda of Plamondon, Theodile of Avenir, Edmond and Lawrence of Charron, and eight girls, Mrs. Eli Plamondon of Lac la Biche; Mrs. Pete Cote of Charron; Mrs. Sullivan Plamondon of Jasper Place; Mrs. Fred Will of Boyle; Mrs. George Shapka of Charron; Mrs. Isadore Dupperron of Breynt; Mrs. Leonard Dupperron of Breynt; and Mrs. Roland Gauthier of Charron. There also are 39 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Mr. St. Jean will long be remembered by friends and neighbors and sincere sympathy goes out to all his loved ones in their bereavement.

Resident For 40 Years Dies At Age Of 67

MEANOOK — The district was saddened by the passing of an old-timer, Mr. James Panquette, age 67. He came to the district 40 years ago. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, 5 sons, 7 daughters, 2 sisters and 1 brother.

Funeral service was held at Meanook by Father Quinn with burial in the Meanook cemetery.

Arms plants get 50 per cent of TVA's power.

SUDDEN SWITCH IN WEATHER BRINGS RECORD HIGH TEMPERATURES HERE

Last week—on Wednesday, Feb. 3, a new 65-year record was set in Alberta when the thermometer climbed to 49 above. Overnight lows here were in the 40 above range. This is in marked contrast to the near record-low overnight temperatures of 40 below common the previous week.

As a result district roads be-

came muddy and rutted and pavements and sidewalks were cleared of ice which had made travel hazardous.

No doubt, by the time the old snow has vanished Old Man Winter will put in a repeat performance with some more cold weather and snow to again change the appearance of the landscape.



THESE STUDENTS from White River, Ont., made a round trip of more than 1,100 miles to visit the Royal Museum in Toronto to see how oil is found and produced in Alberta, Manitoba and Saskatchewan. The students and their teacher, Miss Agnes Farries (centre, back row) set a new distance record for organized school groups visiting the museum. They saw an exhibition on the Canadian oil industry, produced jointly by Imperial Oil Ltd. and the museum.

M.D. ATHABASCA

Farmers May Sell 200 Bushels Over Quota To Buy Seed Grain For '54

By HANS ARMFELT, Field Supervisor

ATHABASCA — Field Crops Commissioner, A. M. Wilson, has issued a statement stressing a new plan for farmers with grain on hand to exchange it for seed grain. His statement is as follows:

To encourage the use of registered seed, and to facilitate its purchase through grain handling companies, the Canadian Wheat Board will now permit a 200 bushel delivery of grain over and above the quota, provided that full payment for same is used in the purchase of registered seed and ordered by the agent of the company to which the grain is delivered. This information is taken from "Wheat Board Instructions to the Trade—No. 24" dated January 7th, a copy of which should be in the hands of each elevator agent.

I consider this arrangement of the greatest importance to farmers in the Municipal District of Athabasca. We find this year that Garnet Wheat is practically unsaleable—there just is no demand for it on the world markets.

It will now be possible for Athabasca farmers to switch from Garnet to some other wheat. This new provision of the Wheat Board makes such a switch possible.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. Evangeliste St. Jean and family wish to express their sincere thanks for the kind sympathy and help received from their friends and neighbors during their sad bereavement.

Bride And Groom Return To Friendly Community

ATMORE — One of Atmore's nicest surprises and joy was the return of Victor Genaud with his wife, the former Miss Cigne Vesterhill, who were married in Calgary.

Mrs. Genaud was born at Sceptre, Sask., where she was brought up and received her education. On leaving high school, she went to Calgary to train for a nurse, and graduated at the Calgary General Hospital. She afterwards devoted herself as a nurse in Saskatchewan, Ontario and Alberta.

In 1952, accompanied by a friend, Miss Hunt, she toured Europe, visiting friends in Norway and going through some 13 countries, acquiring new knowledge of people and things.

No one was prepared for Victor's return with his charming wife. Victor likes to do things quietly. Just the same, despite the cold weather, a nice shower was arranged by Mrs. Bill Campbell at her home to honor Mrs. Genaud.

Mrs. Genaud's pleasant personality has won her everybody's esteem and friendship. She is sincerely welcome in this community and to the newly wedded couple, most sincere wishes for happiness.

Caslan

Mr. Jack Bury has been doing some snow plowing in the district. Mr. Wm. Giblak is working on the section while Mr. S. Cislo has been at home sick.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Cardinal were recent visitors in Lac la Biche.

Folks are enjoying the warm weather after the cold spell.

M.D. Athabasca

Want To Build New District Highway South From Hamlet Of Atmore

MEANOOK—At a recent meeting of the Council of the Municipal District of Athabasca a delegation from Atmore met the council to ask that plans for a new highway in the district be included in the 1954 road building program.

Mr. Stanchfield spoke on behalf of a delegation from Atmore, asking for a road going south from Atmore to the correction line, to be made into a district highway, and also for some work to be done on it. Councillor Perke stated he would try and do some work on it next year, but would do no graveling.

Moved by Councillor Derko we ask the district highway board to have the following declared as a district highway. From the N.E. 20-67-17-4 South to the S.E. corner of the S.E. 5-67-17-4.

Carried. The regular meeting M.D. of Athabasca No. 103, was held Thursday, December 10th, with the following members of the council present: Reeve Aloisio, Councillors Botten, Breckenridge, Lynk, Wright, Derko and Boroshenko.

The meeting was called to order by the Reeve at 11:00 pm.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous regular meeting of November 12th and 23th, 1953, were read to the Council by the secretary-treasurer.

Moved by Councillor Wright that the minutes of the previous regular meeting of November 12th and 24th, 1953, be adopted as read.

Financial Statement

The financial statement for the month of November, 1953, was read to the Council by the secretary-treasurer, and ordered filed.

N. O. Jack Stere

Moved by Councillor Breckenridge that N. O. Jack be authorized (Continued on Page 10)

Sunburst Bus Sideswipes Car

LAC LA BICHE—The Sunburst slogan of "You'll Always get there in a Sunburst Bus" came close to not coming true recently. The recent mild spell caused the roads to become very slippery. As the bus was nearing the town limits on its way to Edmonton Mr. Switzer was coming into Lac La Biche. The back of the bus got the rear fender of Mr. Switzer's car and tore it right off. The impact forced the bus into the ditch and it took quite some time to get it out. The bus was not damaged however and after considerable delay proceeded to Edmonton.

Resident For 38 Years Mr. Frank Sward Dies

RICH LAKE — The community was shocked to hear of the sudden death of Frank Sward, who passed away on Jan. 24. Mr. Sward was born in Finland, and had resided in Rich Lake district for 38 years. Surviving are his wife here, one brother and three sisters in Finland; five nephews, three nieces, four brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law at Rich Lake.

Funeral services were conducted Jan. 30 at Rich Lake School with Rev. Greenough officiating. Interment was in Park Lake Cemetery. Pallbearers were: A. Haimila, M. Farvolden, J. Sunderman, A. Muz, O. Jutila and J. Hogetveit.

Deepest sympathy goes to Mrs. M. Sward.

Agricultural Meets To Be Held In L.I.D. 102

A series of Agricultural Meetings will be held in the Lac La Biche district in the last two weeks of February.

Your District Agriculturist will be present and agricultural films will be shown. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Plamondon Hall, Feb. 17, 8 p.m.; Craigend Hall, Feb. 18, 2 p.m.; Hylo School, Feb. 19, 8 p.m.; Rich Lake School, Feb. 22, 8 p.m.; Wandering River Hall, Feb. 23, 2 p.m.; Caslen School, Feb. 24, 8 p.m.; Owl River School No. 1, Feb. 25, 3 p.m.; Nermendean School, Feb. 26, 3 p.m.

Plamondon's First Settler Dies From Illness

Mr. Evangeliste St. Jean, one of Plamondon's first settlers, passed away on Feb. 1 at the St. Catherine Hospital in Lac la Biche. He had been ill for a long time.

He was born in Michigan in 1885 and came to Canada in 1908. He first settled in Morinville, where he farmed for three years. Then he came to this district and formed part of the first pioneer settlement here.

He leaves to mourn his death, his wife, Matilda Couturier, six sons and eight daughters.

High mass and funeral services officiated by Rev. A. Ricard were held on Feb. 3. Interment was in the Plamondon cemetery.

Pallbearers were his sons, Abraham, Harvey, Meda, Theodile, Edmond and Lawrence.

Floral tributes were received from Mr. and Mrs. George Shapka and Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Karpetz.

Mr. St. Jean would have celebrated his 70th birthday soon, and a golden anniversary in the fall.

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Mon. and Tues., Feb. 15 - 16—
"Wac From Walla Walla"

AND
"Toughest Man In Arizona"
(Big Double Feature Program)
"Walla Walla" is a Comedy with Music. Starring Judy Canova. "Toughest Man" is a Western with Music. 8:30

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Miss Christine Johnson, Avenir.

St. Catherine's Hospital Report

Patients admitted from Jan. 27 to Feb. 3, 1954, were: Eugenie Bone, Mile 235; Helen Hayes, Imperial Mills; Mrs. Augusto Marini, Hylo; William Duma, Prosperity; Russel Joe, Caslan; Guillaume Desjarlais, Lac la Biche; Kost Huculiak, Lac la Biche; Madeline Calliou, Kikino; Mrs. Cyril Sutton, Grassland; Loran Powder, Plamondon; Mrs. Elizabeth Gladu, Normandeau; Mrs. Walter Kumpula, Rich Lake; Mrs. Clifford Henson, Noral; Mrs. Mike Chamzuk, Grassland; Dan Rowland, Venice; Adeline Desjarlais, Normandeau; Shirley Raymond, Wandering River; Mrs. Adelaide Pruden, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Arthur Bourassa, Lac la Biche; Carl Tratch, Lac la Biche.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Laurent Turgeon, Normandeau, a son, Jan. 28.

To Mr. and Mrs. Micky Eludin, Lac la Biche, a daughter, Jan. 30.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourque, Imperial Mills, a son, Feb. 1.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Boucher, Imperial Mills, a daughter, Feb. 1.

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New Public Building At Athabasca Again In Federal Budget Estimates

It was revealed in Ottawa last week that parliament will be asked to again vote \$100,000.00 for the erection of a new public building in Athabasca.

Because of material shortages this has had to be postponed but it is hoped that actual work can be started this year on the new Athabasca Federal building.

Atmore

Nick Koschuk, mechanic at Victor Genoud's garage, is attending mechanical school in Calgary. Rooney Mathewson has gone out working.

The Imperial Oil, under management of Victor Genoud, has installed three large gas tanks.

Laurent Uhiac has purchased some Chinchillas. These nice fur-bearing animals are said to become the most outstanding and best sellers to ever have been on the market, on account of their silky resistant and light fur. F. St. Arnaud reports raising them is but a pleasant and easy hobby, while Mr. J. Le Rauzic, in whose basement they are kept, contends "It's in the house they should be, so interesting are they to watch."

Plamondon

There will be a dance held in the Community Hall on Feb. 9 in honor of Miss Anita Gauthier and Mr. Edmond Dubé.

One of the first pioneers of Plamondon, Mr. Evangeliste St. Jean, passed away in St. Catherine's Hospital in Lac la Biche on Feb. 1. His funeral was held on Feb. 3.

Mrs. Robert Champaign was here last week visiting the school children she had taught for two years. They were glad to see her once more.

Last Sunday there was a surprise party for Mr. Edmond Schaub.

Grassland

Mr. Chas. Rudman with two of his boys and Mr. and Mrs. Medwid and family visited Edmonton last week to take in the Ice Cycles.

Warm weather made a welcome return to Grassland and district after weeks of frigid below zero weather.

Mr. D. A. Sadownik attended the Massey-Harris - Ferguson convention in Edmonton this week.

A meeting of the Agricultural Committee will be held at the Grassland Community Hall on Thursday, Feb. 11.

Mrs. Sutton had to return to hospital at Lac la Biche last week, and is making slow progress toward recovery.

Truck Brakes Fail, Driver Hospitalized

MEANOOK—Oscar Kennedy, of Colinton, is in the Athabasca hospital as a result of an accident. His truck loaded with coal came down the base line hill at a terrific rate of speed when his brakes failed. He could not make the turn in the road and hit the edge of the ditch, completely jumping it, the truck hurtling about six feet in the air, somersaulting over on its top. He was rushed to the hospital by a truck coming behind him. The truck is a complete wreck. The crack-up was heard a mile away.

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NOTICE

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Two years have now passed since this Order in Council No. 1913/51 was passed by the Government including all of Municipal District of Athabasca No. 103.

In Court in Athabasca on December 18th, 1953 a prosecution under this act resulted in the farmer being fined \$50.00 and costs or two months in jail. Please co-operate.

This notice is final.

Municipal District of Athabasca No. 103.
H. Armfelt, Field Supervisor.

M.D. of Athabasca No. 103, Agricultural Service Board, Athabasca

VACCINATION OF DOGS AGAINST RABIES

In December of 1953 the Dominion Veterinarian covered the Municipal District of Athabasca and vaccinated all the dogs that were brought to him. However some people were not able to bring in their dogs, and due to the fact that we have had a number of cases of rabies lately, we have been able to secure a further supply of Vaccine; and the people who have not had their dogs vaccinated will have the opportunity to have them vaccinated at either one of the points listed. The Veterinarian will only be at one point long enough to vaccinate the dogs that are there; therefore it is absolutely necessary that people bring their dogs at the appointed time.

Wednesday, February 24th, 1954

Perryvale	9:30 a.m.	Donatville	1:30 p.m.
Colinton	10:30 a.m.	Grassland	2:30 p.m.
Boyle	12:00 noon	Atmore	3:30 p.m.

Saturday, February 27th, 1954

Athabasca, Provincial Building 1-2 p.m.

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Miss Edna Fisher Weds N. Whitford

BRIEREVILLE — A lovely candlelight ceremony was solemnized by Rev. Dr. Greenough in the Lac la Biche United Church on Tuesday evening, Jan. 26, when Norman Wallace, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Whitford, was united in marriage to Miss Edna Fisher, third eldest daughter of Mr. Ernest Fisher of Sanguo, Alberta.

Entering the church on the arm of her brother-in-law, Mr. Mike Wasylowich of Edmonton, who gave her in marriage, the bride was lovely, dressed in a tailored suit of blue serge. As matching accessories she donned a white hat and white gloves. Her corsage was of white roses. Her only jewellery was a gold locket.

As bridesmaid, Madeline Johnson was dressed in a tailored suit of grey gabardine, with a matching hat and gloves.

Best man was Mr. Eli Yakowashyn. Mrs. T. B. Lett was the organist during the service.

At night a dance in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitford was enjoyed by many in the Lac la Biche Memorial Hall. The music was supplied by Jones' Orchestra.

The following evening a wedding supper was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Whitford to approximately 40 guests and immediately following the supper a nice little get-together dance got underway and everyone enjoyed themselves. During the evening, with the co-operation of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones and the recording machine, a recording was made of some of the local talent and presented to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitford as a wedding gift.

Frains

Miss Lucy Greschuk had a birthday party given by her friends in the school.

Mrs. Lopochensky and her brother, Mr. John Kuchmak, motored to St. Paul to attend the wedding of a relative.

Visitors to the city were Mrs. Dan Shwetz, Mrs. Yurochko, Mr. Jack Shwetz and Mrs. Panchyshyn.

Mrs. Tillie Schwetz has come back after her long visit in the city.

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Briereville

The weather is very mild now, after the long cold spell. By the thermometer the temperature read to 50 degrees above, while a few days back it was as low as 45 degrees below. The saying, "There's nothing as changeable as the weather," rings quite true.

In spite of the cold weather quite a few people from the district attended the wedding dance of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitford in the Lac la Biche Hall.

An accident occurred on the highway close to the general store in Briereville when a truck driver collided with three horses. One of the horses had to be killed as it was badly hurt, having both hind legs broken.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones and Mr. Pete Bouchard of Craignend were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Whitford recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Whitford celebrated their 42nd wedding anniversary on Saturday, Jan. 30. Best wishes are extended to them.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wasylowich, (a sister of Mrs. Norman Whitford) were guests at the recent wedding, as was her sister, Jessie Fisher. They motored from Edmonton for the occasion.

Personal income declined sharply in November.

Local Health Board Report

The following cases of communicable diseases were reported in the city during the week ending January 30th, 1954:

	This Week	Last Week
Measles	2	—
Poliomyelitis	3	1
Rubella	—	5
Scarlet Fever	12	3
Septic Sore	—	—
Throat	1	—
Whooping	—	—
Cough	4	3
	22	12

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Tues., Feb. 9th, 1954, 1:30 p.m.	Blue Jay School
Tues., Feb. 9th, 1954, 8:00 p.m.	Frains Hall
Wed., Feb. 10th, 1954, 1:30 p.m.	Boyle Hall
Wed., Feb. 10th, 1954, 8:00 p.m.	Ellscoth Hall
Thurs., Feb. 11th, 1954, 1:30 p.m.	Prosperity-Prosvita Hall
Thurs., Feb. 11th, 1954, 8:00 p.m.	Grassland Hall
Fri., Feb. 12th, 1954, 1:30 p.m.	Athabasca-St. Gabriels Hall
Fri., Feb. 12th, 1954, 8:00 p.m.	Lahaiville School
Tues., Feb. 16th, 1954, 3:00 p.m.	George Lake School
Tues., Feb. 16th, 1954, 8:00 p.m.	Narrow Lake School
Wed., Feb. 17th, 1954, 1:30 p.m.	Perryvale Hall
Wed., Feb. 17th, 1954, 8:00 p.m.	New Pine Creek School
Thurs., Feb. 18th, 1954, 1:30 p.m.	Richmond Park Hall
Thurs., Feb. 18th, 1954, 8:00 p.m.	Pleasantview School
Fri., Feb. 19th, 1954, 1:30 p.m.	Atlanta School
Fri., Feb. 19th, 1954, 8:00 p.m.	Ferguson School

A date to remember:

SATURDAY, February 20th, 1954

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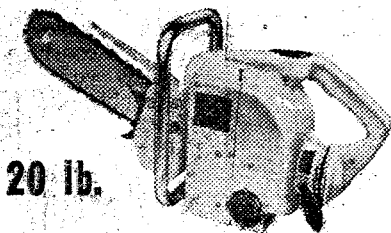


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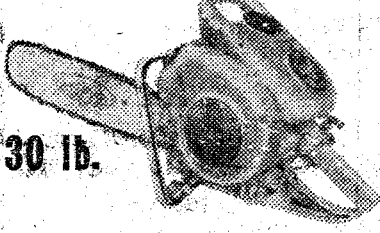
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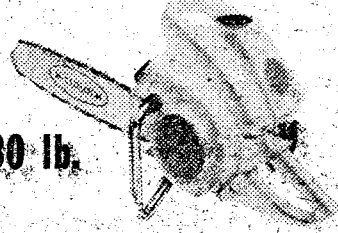
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EDITORIALS

Liberal Party More Popular

An interesting trend in Canadian politics is revealed in the latest Gallup poll, showing that the Liberal party has gained in popular support since the August 10th election. The poll shows that the Conservatives have dropped 4 per cent in popularity while the Liberals have gained 3 per cent and the CCF 1 per cent. There was no change in Social Credit and other minor groups.

The sound, vigorous program of the government in Ottawa, such as new housing legislation, measures to encourage the development of our natural resources and new welfare legislation for totally disabled persons are no doubt responsible for their increase in popularity.

At a recent press conference, Mr. Humphrey, the U.S. Secretary of the Treasury, was asked: "How is it Canada can cut taxes and still have a higher dollar income on tax collections?" He replied: "I think Canada has been a little smarter than we have been. I think they have run their country a little better than we have."

A Continuing Memorial To Mackenzie King

Now that Mr. King has passed on, people of all shades of politics are agreed that his aim in life was to advance the social welfare of the people of Canada. To accomplish this he had to have his party in power and to have a measure of control of that party. In private conversation he often stated that his great ambition was to accomplish something worthwhile in this line. Some think he went too far, but one monument to his memory is the Family Allowance legislation.

This measure helps the mothers and fathers of the nation. By the time the child reaches the age of 16, he or she has received \$1,188 from this source in cheques payable to the mother.

This measure was referred to by no less a person than the President of the United States during the course of the Presidential Election last year as the most significant piece of social legislation introduced in any country of the western world in the last 50 years.

The amount paid out is over 350 million a year by the Dominion and the provinces are not asked to contribute at all in this social activity. Australia, Great Britain and New Zealand have family allowances. The percentage of National Income spent in Canada is greater than that spent in Australia or Great Britain. It is slightly less than that spent in New Zealand. However, the amount received in Canada by a child will purchase more than that received by a child in New Zealand on the basis of the figures of the last six months.

Although there has recently been an election, the government this session is embarking on a system of disability allowances. This measure is now being discussed with the provinces and will relieve distress more than increasing family allowances would.

The cost of the Social Security measures initiated by the present Dominion Government cost the Dominion treasury 1,200 million dollars per year and the provinces \$350 million. It is, of course, the production and the work of the people of Canada that provide these desirable measures.

Union Spirit

It was recently discovered that the pickpockets of Alexandria, Egypt, have a union with a membership of approximately four hundred men and one hundred women.

Besides taking care of its members' interests, the union also arranges for marriages between male and female pickpockets.

The dowry, paid by the bridegroom—not the bride—is in accordance with the ability of the woman lifter to practice her "art" without falling into the clutches of the law.

The Bible Today

For a voice declareth from Dan, and publisheth affliction from Mount Ephraim. —Jeremiah 4:16.

The Eohippus

There may be more fascinating places than natural history museums but not many. Now the American Museum of Natural History New York, announces that it has received from Colorado a block of red sandstone containing the skulls of eight miniature prehistoric horses.

These animals lived a matter of some 50,000,000 years ago. Some way they got trapped in a mud hole and there, as the ages wheeled in slow procession, their bodies became ossified. Now they are come again and are among the living as ghosts.

Yet to the man of science they speak a clear language.

This small three-hands-high creature is the eohippus of the poem who wanted to be a horse, and as a beginning did something about the three-toed hind feet with which it found itself saddled. The scientists have the horse all set forth on his family tree. The eohippus (dawn horse) had three toes with the middle toe the largest. A few more millions, evolution never being in a hurry, and the middle toe was growing while the other two had become so shrunken that they weren't any use. Obviously the horse was getting ready to have a hoof.

The scientists have some dark remarks to make to the effect that the horse, so far as physical attributes are concerned, has made a better job of evolution than has the genus homo. Moreover the presence of splint bones in Dobbin's foot indicate that the vestiges of the second and fourth digit are still hanging on. The horse hasn't finished developing.

Divorce—A Poor Remedy

It is appalling how many young wives view divorce as the answer to their slightest domestic problems. The divorce paper appears to offer freedom and relief for anything from petty annoyances to major vices.

No wonder it is said that divorce is fast approaching No. 1 status in the nation's legal and social problems.

Younger couples who may or may not have gone into marriage themselves with the firm intention of making a go of it should be told divorce is not the easy way out they think it is. A better remedy for the dangerous little happenings that flare up into serious quarrels is the exercise of patience, tolerance and respect for the other person's rights.

There is a Negro spiritual that warns "Look down, look down that lonesome road before you travel on." This might be the theme song of those who consider divorce the sesame to a free and easy-going life.

Mr. Jorgenson and Mr. Halmrast

The Calgary Albertan

Mr. Halmrast has his work cut out for him. Succeeding the late Mr. Ure as provincial minister of agriculture is a tough job for anyone. But those who are familiar with the MLA from Warner constituency are confident that he will succeed in his new post.

As minister of welfare for the last year or so, he has done effective but unspectacular work. Being a prominent and successful farmer, he may feel more at home in the agriculture department. Certainly he enters upon his new duties with a good background in both agriculture and administration.

The elevation of Mr. R. D. Jorgenson to the cabinet in the welfare portfolio was a bit surprising, but perhaps it shouldn't have been. He is an old-timer in the Social Credit party, and as president of the provincial association for 14 years he is responsible in considerable measure for the party's vitality and for its continued success at the polls. He is a bluff, hearty man who makes a good missionary for the party. He now has to prove himself competent administrator of public business. Certainly welfare is the portfolio he is best suited for. His idealism and crusading spirit should stand him in good stead in that department.

Note and Comment

Wheat producers in Ontario are considering setting up a marketing board to handle their winter wheat crop.

M.P.'s Salaries Are Low Compared To The Increased Cost Of Living

By SENATOR J. W. STAMBAUGH

OTTAWA—At the present time members of the House of Commons as well as the Senate receive \$6,000 per year; \$2,000 of that for the Members or the Commons, is tax free, while the Senators pay income tax on the full amount.

In 1920, when the sessional indemnity was \$4,000, the session lasted from 2 to 3 months and the cost of living was about half what it is today. Now a session seldom lasts less than 6 months and has gone on as long as 8 months. A man in business has to give that up. The Senators sometimes get a little extra time off at the Christmas and Easter adjournment; last session they got an extra week at Easter, but none at Christmas. It is impossible for a man with a growing family to keep up two houses, one in his own province and one at Ottawa, on \$6,000 a year. It will not be easy to do it on \$10,000 a year, have a reasonable standard of living, and contribute to the various fund raising campaigns of every description which they are expected to do.

Some critics having agreed that members of the House of Commons are entitled to more pay still maintain that salaries of the Senators should not be raised because they don't do as much work as the

members in the House of Commons. Now this is probably true but they do have to review all that is done by the House of Commons. Although the H. of C. members spend more time in the House, Senators spend more time in Committee. Should the Senators be penalized because they do the work more expeditiously and with less harangue?

I think it is true that the Senators could actually get along on less because, in most cases, they are older men, their families are grown up and they do not have as much expense as the Members of the Commons. As the Senators pay income tax on the full amount of their salaries, that, to a considerable extent, takes care of the difference in expenses.

Consider the salaries received by the members of Provincial Legislatures. Take Alberta for instance. They receive \$3,000 per session of which \$1,000 is tax free. The average session in Alberta lasts five or six weeks, and 90% of the members are able to get home over the week-end. Members of both provincial and federal governments have passes on the railroads and the Alberta members have telephone passes as well, so, in comparison, even at \$10,000, the Federal members are underpaid.

Voice Of The People

Readers are invited to make free expression of opinion on any subject. Letters should be short and concise. The Editor reserves the right to condense or reject any letter.

RIGHTS OF CHILDREN

No doubt your readers will be interested in the letter we sent to the Prime Minister, Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent, which reads as follows:

Recent newspaper accounts of statements made by yourself to recommendations of trade union groups regarding Health Insurance, are most disturbing. After waiting for the fulfillment of election promises for thirty-four years, we are alarmed that no action is even being considered.

The Committee for the Rights of Canadian Children is especially concerned, as the amount of sickness among children is very high. Moreover, the tremendous amount of money spent by Canadian families on sickness is not assuring them any continued health. May we draw your attention to two paragraphs in our booklet, "Health Insurance Now!" re cost of sickness:

"At least \$100,000,000 a year is spent in Canada on sickness. The National Sickness Survey in 1950 revealed that about \$384,000,000 was spent that year by individual families on doctors, hospitals and drugs. In addition, federal, provincial and municipal governments spent \$350,000,000 a year on hospitals and other services connected with sickness. To this must be added an estimated \$135,000,000 in wages lost by workers owing to sickness, and these are minimum estimates.

These huge amounts do not necessarily buy real health. Study of our health records indicate that medical attention is usually not sought until symptoms are well advanced. This has frequently led to costly treatment which so often is no more than "patching up," to permit people to carry on somehow. Early routine examinations would prevent not only the development of much illness but would be an economy to the nation by avoiding the costly care required later."

Our committee urgently requests reconsideration of the government's attitude.

ESTHER CORIN, Secretary, Committee for the Rights of Canadian Children, 400 Roselawn Avenue, Toronto, Ont.

LIFT COLOR BAN

The Birch Hill Farm Forum has discussed the Challenge of Dairy Substitutes to the farming and dairy industry. Eighteen members, in three groups, came up with the following answers to the questions given, which will be of interest to your readers.

If dairying were seriously injured by widespread use of imitation dairy products, there would be more chance of over-production in other branches of farming; the livestock industry would lack some important foodstuffs and the quality of poultry in particular would suffer; and there might be a decline in soil fertility in some districts.

The urban consumer would pay more for milk, etc., because of scarcity and less fully used facilities. He would also pay more for dairy substitutes, since they would be relieved of dairy competition; and in case of war he would find himself dangerously short of edible fats.

The challenge of dairy substitutes can be met:

(A) By more co-ordinated and stream-lined distribution of whole milk to consumers. (Some very intricate large-scale planning is called for).

(B) By the public being brought to realize the food-values of the various dairy products available. (We think the dairy industry has shown an astonishing neglect of this essential part of their business).

One group suggested that beer parlors be required to sell milk as well as beer!

Present legislation regarding dairy substitutes was considered O.K., and most of us thought that the color ban on margarine could be lifted, but there should be more strictly enforced listing of the contents of foods—we ought to know what we are eating!

Marv Knapp, Ranfurly.

BLAMES THE BOTTLE

The cause of juvenile delinquency? Blame it on bottle-feeding by mothers who delegate their duties to baby-sitters. Many more of our present troubles can be traced to this early violation of nature's laws.

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We were discussing names for our hockey team. Someone said it was so tough it would drive us "nuts" to pick a name for them. My young brother called out, "That's right—let's call them the 'Tough Nuts'."

GARY CHRISTENSEN, St. Vincent.

A little girl unaccustomed to farm life was visiting my daughter. We were doing chores and Connie says, "What shall I feed the geese." Before I could answer the little visitor places her hand in a bin of oat chop and says, "Connie feed them some of this sawdust."

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Letter To Louisa

Wife, Deserted Three Months, Wants To Start Dating With Other Men

Dear Louisa:

My husband left me three months ago. People ask me about him but I don't know where he is. They ask me just to see what I will say. I haven't had a letter from him since he has been gone. Do you think it would be all right for me to start dating?

E.

Answer:

Why did your husband leave? And if you have had a letter from him it must have had a postmark on it.

Your marriage must have been a very casual affair for one party to leave and go away without letting his wife in on his destination and for the other to think about dating three months after he has left.

If you had a quarrel and he has gone for good and doesn't expect to come back, the thing for you to do is to get a divorce but don't start running around with other men and get yourself a bad reputation as a married woman who dates men.

LOUISA.

Dear Louisa:

I am 16 years old and deeply in love with a boy 18. But he shows no sign of being in love with me. Shall I tell him I'm in love with him? What shall I do? All of the kids my age laugh at me when I tell them.

LONELY.

Answer:

Well, 'Lonely,' you have only yourself to blame if you remain lonely. You probably think right now that this boy who apparently sees nothing more interesting in you than he sees in any other girl of his acquaintance, is absolutely essential to your happiness. I don't blame you for "setting your cap" for him if he is superior to others you know, so by all means get some mutual friend to bring you together at some social affair.

But don't overlook the fact that Canada is a nation of 15,000,000 people and in all this vast country there must be thousands of young men your age who would be just as attractive to a girl like you. So get around and meet other young men and women, too, in case this Object of Your Affection doesn't eventually take notice of you and fall in love with you.

LOUISA.

Dear Louisa:

Please give a poor man advice. What do you think would be the chance of a happy marriage with a girl who has been working in the public for quite a number of years? She is quite attractive, has a cheerful disposition, is easy to talk to and seems to be well liked. She is also very intelligent, the kind of intelligence gained in the school of hard knocks.

She keeps up a home and looks after dependents, so isn't very rich. She doesn't care to mix with the crowd very much, but is more of a

homebody. She is very critical of the modern youth and can be very sarcastic at times.

She has the reputation of being rather a snob where men are concerned but to me she seems as if it is bashfulness, or a sort of fear.

I admire the girl very much, but because of her stay-at-home disposition, I don't see how I can meet her socially. What kind of wife do you think she would make? How could I meet her?

DOUBTFUL.

Answer:

From your letter I judge you have fallen in love with a girl whom you see only in a business way. If you have become friendly enough to talk to each other and she knows who you are, I think it would be perfectly all right for you to ask her for a date, even though you have never been formally introduced.

If she is a stickler for conventions, and has to be introduced try and find some mutual friend who will do this for you. You might find out what church she goes to and have the pastor or someone there to introduce you.

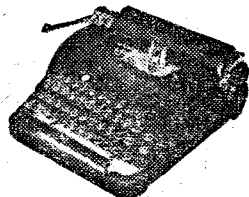
At any rate, it would be a good idea to find out more about the young lady and learn to know her better before you begin to think about marriage. She certainly has some attributes of a good wife from your description. Cheerful attractive and loyal to her family are all good points. "Sarcastic" is not so good, and this thing of "dependents" is quite a drawback. But, as I said before, the main thing to do, before you take the formal step, is to find out more about her and her family. She may be a wonderful girl and on the other hand she may be just "slinging you a line," to quote the youth of today.

Good luck,

LOUISA.

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1. Canada's total area is 3.8 million square miles. What is the area of the Northwest Territories?
2. In a year how much do customs duties add to the Canadian treasury?
3. In the years 1931-1951 707,000 immigrants entered Canada. In the same period how many persons emigrated from Canada?
4. What country once owned Alaska?
5. To all governments in 1945 Canadians paid \$3.3 billion in taxes. What will they pay in the current year?

ANSWERS: 5. About \$7 billion. 3. 642,000 persons emigrated. 1. 1.2 million square miles. 4. Russia. 2. More than \$300 million.

Room For 27,000 Bushels At Onoway

By T. W. PUE

Harrassed farmers who have mountains of grain on their farms that can't be sold because their local elevators are plugged should be interested in the situation at Onoway. There the two local elevators have total capacity for 27,000 bushels of grain—lying empty.

Reason for this situation is that due to wet fields and hail, grain crops in the Onoway district were about 50% of normal in 1953. And as most district farmers feed a great deal to stock very few farmers have much grain to sell.

It would seem only reasonable that there may be other points in Alberta where a similar situation exists. We wonder why the wheat board doesn't open up wide the quotas in such districts or give special permits to farmers who have too much grain on hand to deliver to points like Onoway if they are willing to truck the extra distance.

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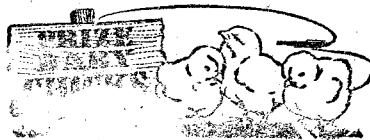
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GOOD SEED MEANS HIGHER YIELDS

By J. S. LORE, District Agriculturist

The crop which is harvested will be no better than the seed which is sown. Underdeveloped, diseased or frosted kernels germinate poorly, and a weak and uneven stand of grain is the result. Likewise seed that is polluted with weeds produce a low yielding and weedy crop.

With spring not too far away now is the time to plan your cropping program for 1954. If you have to buy your seed buy only seed that is covered by a seed grain certificate so that you know there are no bad weeds in it. Buy the best that you can get. If you have your own seed select it from the best grain you have on the farm and get it cleaned before spring. Do not sow weedy seed. Give your seed a germination test and if it does not have a high germination percentage it is wiser to use other seed.

The seed you sow should be treated against seed-borne diseases before seeding. Formalin is no longer recommended as a treatment for seed grain because of its damaging effect on germination, particularly of wheat. Mercuries do not have such an effect and they appear to improve germination by controlling other seed-borne diseases as well as smut. The non-mercurials are recommended only for the control of bunt or stinking smut of wheat. Strong germination is important in order to get an even growing crop that can compete with weeds and mature evenly. Therefore if your seed is low in germination or you treat

it with a treatment that will harm the germination you can expect a weaker stand of grain and one that cannot compete favorably with the weeds. A strong stand of grain is able to choke out most of the weeds at the start because of its larger and more vigorous seedling. When treating with mercurial dusts a mask should be worn for safety.

When selecting or buying seed for your farm do not look for bargains because there are none. You will pay dearly for cheap seed through added farming expenses for weed control. Good seed will cost you more money per bushel by the increased yield you get from using good seed will more than pay the difference between good seed and poor seed. Good seed is an investment but poor seed is an expense. Farmers are being forced to economize through lower prices for their products but when purchasing seed is not the place to economize.

Lac la Biche

A surprise party was given in the honor of Miss Joyce Breau on February 4th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Breau. Joyce received many lovely gifts. Everyone spent an enjoyable evening.

Miss Alva Franchuk, who had been attending classes at the Dr. Swift School, left the halls of learning to take a job with the local forestry department. Miss Franchuk is filling the position left vacant by Miss Lois DeGraff who had been with the department for a number of years.

Kenneth Proctor is now working at the Provincial Treasury Branch. Kenneth succeeds Miss Jean Amior who left due to matrimony.

Children of Lac La Biche are still being stricken with the mild epidemic of mumps. Although the outbreak has not been serious, numerous cases have been reported.

The weatherman put an abrupt end to all curling and skating activities during the past week. With temperatures in the mid forties the ice was made unfit for play although it has not melted away.

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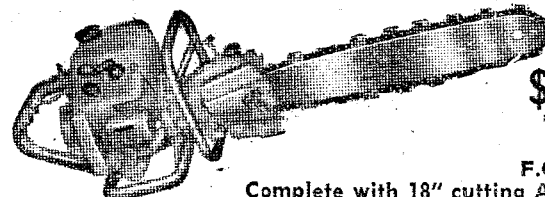
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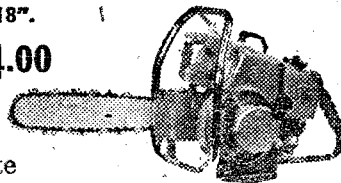
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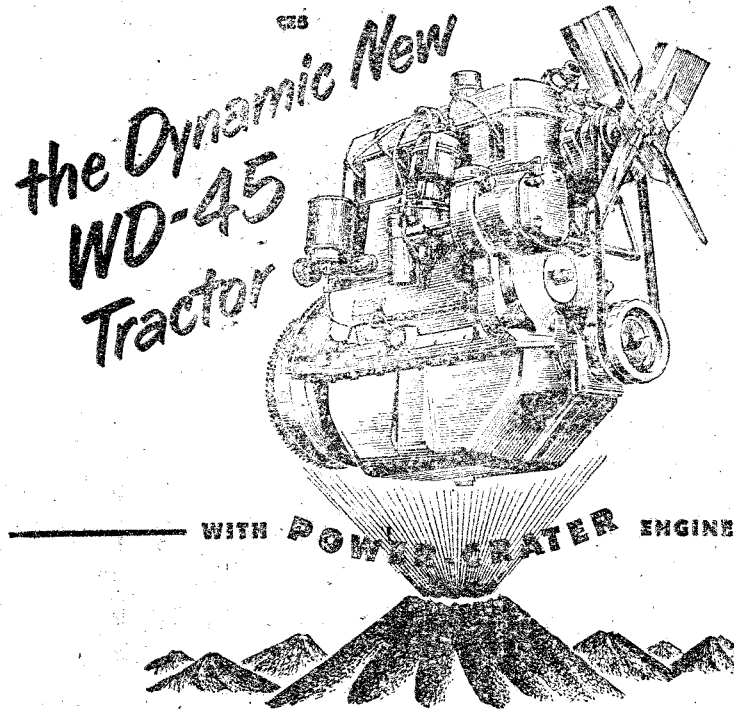
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Speculate Drive Might Start New Oil Boom In Alberta

By Raymond Argyle, British United Press Staff Correspondent

EDMONTON (BUP)—A rush of oil exploration crews to the Pembina area 70 miles southwest of here gathered speed this week amid signs the drive might touch off a new oil boom in Alberta.

The area became the "hottest" discovery district since the historic Leduc find of 1946 when four companies paid over \$27,000,000 (M) for reservation rights last week and prepared to spend further millions in exploration.

The rush shook Alberta's oil industry out of its recent doldrums and many oilmen were freely forecasting that the Pembina field would become more prolific than the Leduc and Redwater fields combined.

Foot hills hamlets along the Pembina river are overrun with oilmen combing the hills, swamps and muskeg for new drilling sites. Carloads of oil scouts observers for rival companies seeking information, arrived in the region recently, were busy this week around wildcat sites.

Two landing strips, one in a gain field and another bulldozed out of a pasture, hummed with light aircraft picking up "rock cores" from drill tests to be flown to Calgary for laboratory analysis for indications of oil. Signs announcing "positively no admittance under any circumstances" illustrated the urgency of the rush.

Discovery of light gravity oil at Pembina by the Socony-Seaboard group last June was the major find in Alberta in 1953.

The discovery well has flowed up to 456 barrels per day.

The discovery site marked Canada's first commercial oil well in the Cardium sand formation, which is of a later geological age than the Devonian reef found in the Leduc oil formations. The Cardium was reached at about 5,200 feet, with the oil deposited between the sand grains of the reef.

The Pembina field, with six producing wells and about eight being drilled, would have to undergo tremendous expansion to rival Leduc, with 1,240 wells, or Redwater, with 927 wells. Major interest today was being focussed on three exploratory wells on the edge of one of the reservations which sold last week for a record price. Crews were working at break-neck speed on the three "tight hole," or secret, wells to establish the prospect of oil so that bids could be made for government leases.

Two of Canada's major oil companies, Texaco Exploration and Imperial Oil Ltd., stepped into the picture for the first time by taking up 92,160-acre reservations in the field. Texaco paid a record-shattering price of \$13,000,125, and Imperial successfully bid \$11,087,533.

Defence Secretary Wilson has assured Europe that his country is not contemplating the withdrawal of United States forces from NATO.

Chamber Installs New Executive

EDMONTON, (BUP) — A new slate of officers was installed at the 54th annual meeting of the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce last week attended by 350 guests at the Macdonald Hotel.

A. D. McTavish, 39, was sworn in as president by Lieutenant-Governor J. J. Bowlen to become the youngest president in the chamber's history. He succeeds H. O. Patriquin. Sworn in as vice-presidents were D. K. Yorath, Gerry Gaetz, and W. H. Sprague.

Feature speaker at the meeting was Mayor William Hawrelak who dealt with "the city's report to business." Mayor Hawrelak said that 1953 was "the city's greatest year on record." He added that last year saw the population of Edmonton increase by 14,000 — the equivalent of two towns each the size of Red Deer.

The annual report of the retiring president showed the membership of the chamber to have reached the 1,400 mark. Presi-

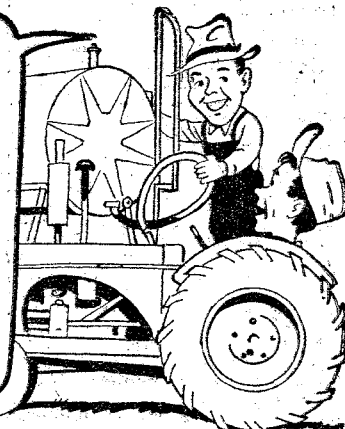
dent-elect McTavish said, 1954 guests included George O'Brien of "will be a busy and challenging year for Edmonton."

Industries and Labor Minister Norman A. Willmore represented the provincial government. Other president of the Calgary chamber.

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1 cup grated raw carrots
1 cup grated raw potato
1 cup sifted flour
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup raisins
1/2 cup currants
1/2 cup butter
1 teaspoon cloves
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon soda

Mix grated carrots and half cup of the potato; add other ingredients in given order, except soda. To the remaining potato add the soda and add last of all. Turn into a greased mold or pudding bowl and steam three hours.

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OFFERED \$27,647 CASH, WIDOW IS "FURIOUS"

PROVIDENCE, R.I.—An elderly widow said here she is "furious" because county commissioners at Pittsburgh, Pa., have been prodigal her to accept \$27,647.50 they have owed her for almost eight years.

The widow, Mrs. Edith R. Phillips, said she didn't have time to cash in the Allegheny County (Pa.) highway bonds that came due in 1946. She is too busy settling her late husband's multimillion-dollar estate.

Mrs. Phillips, who lives in a sumptuous suite at a fashionable Providence hotel, said Pittsburgh wasn't the only place where she is behind in collecting money.

"I get lots of calls from people wanting me to cash my bonds, but I'm a busy woman," she said.

Allegheny county comptroller James W. Knox telephoned her asking her to please turn in 25 highway bonds she holds. He has written her a letter once a year since 1948 asking her to cash in

the bonds "in order to close this account and adjust our records."

Knox explained that the bonds have not earned any interest since 1946, and Mrs. Phillips actually is losing hundreds of dollars by not having the money invested elsewhere.

"If I could cash the bonds I would," Mrs. Phillips said. "But I'm too busy working with the government over my husband's estate."

The estate of her husband, the late Frank Phillips, head of the Washburn Wire Co., was estimated at several million dollars.

Mrs. Phillips complained that she has been "pestered and followed" since word got out that her bonds were causing such concern.

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I walked into a cafe and, spotting my girl friend, sipping a big ice cream soda, I boldly grabbed a straw and started to sip too! When she looked up in utter amazement I saw it wasn't my friend but a total stranger. Embarrassed, I got out of there as quickly as I could!

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to remodel his store in the Hamlet of Colinton. Carried

Seifridt Road Work

H. Seifridt interviewed the Council re work he stated he did for Councillor Parson, stating he had not been paid. Councillor Botten stated it had not been approved by ex-Councillor Parson.

Culverts

Moved by Reeve Aloisio that Council order \$2,000.00 of steel culverts from Westeel Products Ltd., to be delivered in the spring of 1954, if needed, the order to go through the M.D. Association. Carried

Boyle School Roof

E. Farr interviewed the Council on various matters. He gave information on the new roof on the Boyle school, and asked if a committee of the Council could be formed to grade all roads in the municipal district, to be used as a basis for paying school bus drivers. He also asked if the health unit would supply first aid kits to all schools and school busses. Chairman Breckenridge of the health unit, stated no, and that the members from the local improvement districts in the health unit had stated they would not agree to providing first aid kits. Mr. Farr then stated that the school division would supply them.

Union Tractor Co.

Mr. B. Chudik of the Union Tractor Co. interviewed the Council re machinery. Council stated they were not interested at the present time.

Waterous Ltd.

Mr. McKenzies, of Waterous Ltd., interviewed the Council re machinery. Council informed him they were not in the market at the present time.

Rural Electric Power

Moved by Reeve Aloisio that Council approve of the Colinton-Paxson, Perryvale, and West Athabasca rural electrification associations operating provided that the power company move the power poles if the Council at any time in the future find it necessary to widen the road allowance. Carried

Adjourn

Moved by Reeve Aloisio that the meeting adjourn at 6:00 p.m. until 10:00 a.m. tomorrow. Carried

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(Editor's Note: Concluding report on this meeting of the Council of the Municipal District of Athabasca will be published in next week's issue of the paper.)

Civil Defence Course Launched

EDMONTON (BUP) — Thirty-nine representatives of municipalities throughout the province and from many Alberta industries are attending a second two-week winter rescue course at the provincial Civil Defence Rescue School in Edmonton.

The first rescue course conducted by the Alberta Civil Defence organization took place last August.

Candidates were addressed on the opening day by Lieut.-Col. A. J. Lavoie, assistant to the Alberta Civil Defence co-ordinator.

Noral

Mrs. Clifford Henson has undergone a major operation in the Lac la Biche Hospital. She is wished a speedy recovery.

Mr. Maurice Hoflin and Albert of Imperial Mills were home for the week-end. Johnny Anderson has replaced Mr. Hoflin at Imperial Mills.

Mr. N. Myskiw, superintendent of schools, visited Noral School Monday morning.

Miss Dorothy Walter, accompanied by Mrs. Bjerger and Dwayne of Hyle, visited friends at Atmore on Sunday.

The annual school board meeting was held at the school on Jan. 30 with a large turnout. Mr. Harold Hansen was chairman and Mrs. Hoflin acted as secretary.

Mr. Maurice Hoflin was elected of Andrew and Wilfred Woychuk trustee. It was decided to have a dance at Noral on Feb. 19, with friends and neighbors gathered proceeds going to the Crippled Children's Fund.

Visitors at the Woychuk home Kotch, who, just recently moved one Sunday were Steve Woychuk into the district.

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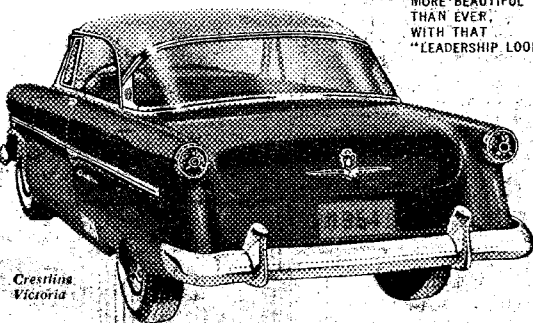


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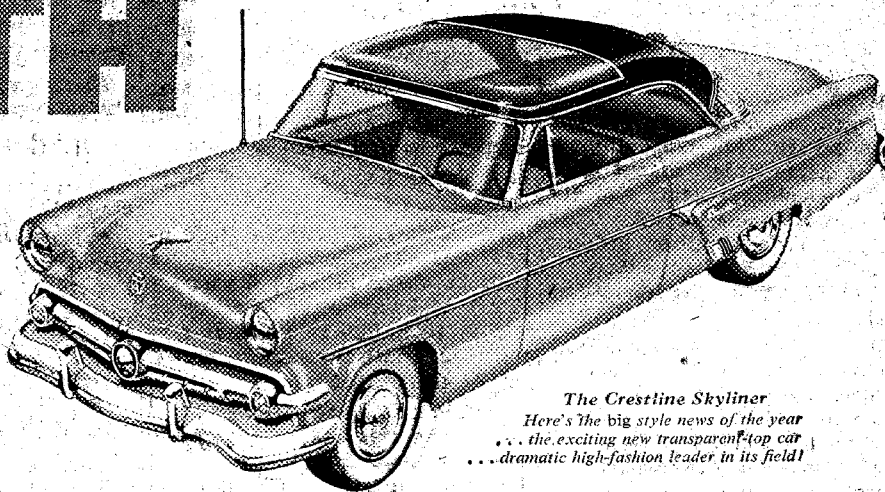
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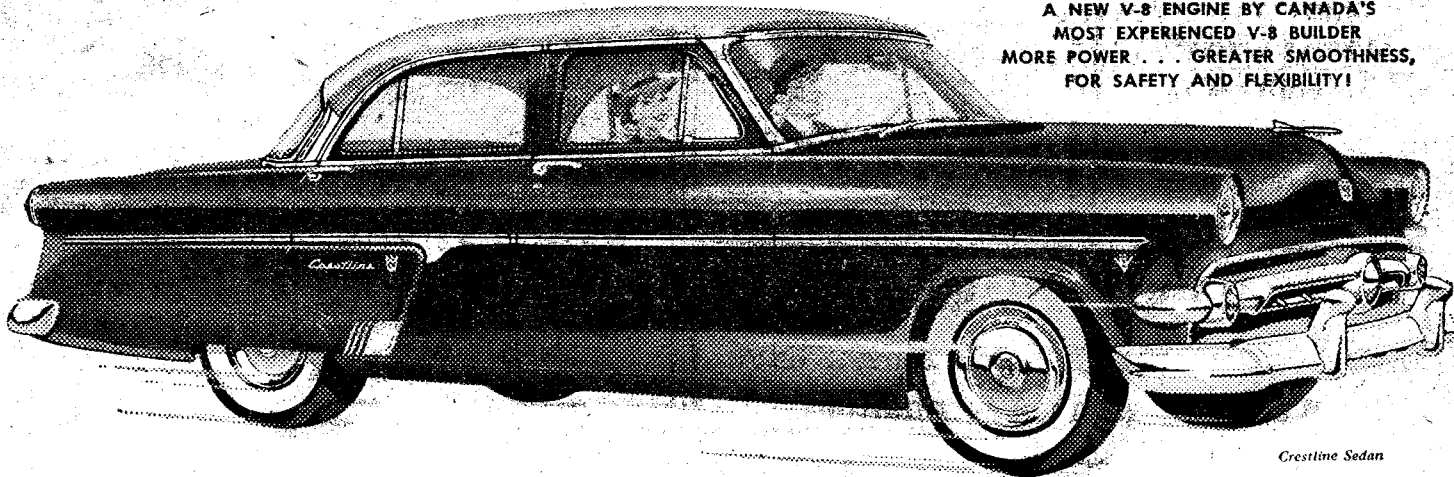
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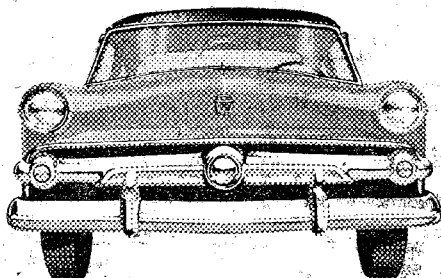
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By P. R. ANDRUSKI

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Is this all that we wish to know about our children? I know Johnny is a very good boy in school, so he says. He tells me his teacher is no "Darn good." He's going to quit school if they don't have a change very soon.

Dear parents, did you ever stop to think that it may be Johnny, who is at fault. That Johnny may not be towing his end of the line; that Johnny, though he may be clever, has never been straightened out; because you have never taken time off to discuss things with his teacher.

I think we have a very important organization called the Parent Teachers' Association. It gives you a chance to meet these "awful" teachers that Johnny talks about; it may give you a chance to discuss problems that may be related to that of your child; it will give you an idea of how school affairs carry on. You are free to express or criticize on subject matters pertaining to education.

We have at least a hundred parents in the district, who are sending children to school. Ask yourself this question: "How many times have I attended a home and school meeting? How many times have I had a problem in mind about school work, and my children? How many times have I gone to see Johnny's teacher and asked him what I could do to improve his standing in school? Why is it that Johnny doesn't like his teacher, or is it Johnny who may be at fault?"

Out of a possible one hundred parents we have probably thirty who are members, and seventy who are not. Does this mean to say that there are only thirty people out of this possible hundred, that do care what goes on at school? This is impossible. Surely people think more of education for their children, than they ever did before. Maybe they just haven't realized how important a Home and School gathering, once a month really is.

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Farm Unions To Meet Cabinet

Prairie Farm Union chiefs will make a joint submission to the Federal Cabinet at Ottawa February 15th to present resolutions dealing with about 20 phases of western agriculture.

President Henry Young of the Farmers' Union of Alberta says the decision was made at a meeting of the Interprovincial Farm Union conference in Saskatoon.

The resolutions will touch on grain marketing, income tax, producers' problems, and the appointment of a producer representative to the Canadian Wheat Board.

Record Gas Consumption Highest Yet

Consumption of gas reached a new high on the coldest day during the recent cold spell, according to figures issued by D. K. Yorath, general manager of Northwestern Utilities Ltd.

On Thursday, Jan. 21, when the reading was 33 below zero, the Gas company delivered 186,640,000 cubic feet of gas to consumers over its entire system, which includes towns in the Edmonton area. In the city of Edmonton alone, the gas consumption was 139,302,000 cubic feet, which also set a new record.

Gas was supplied from Viking, Kinsella, Port Saskatchewan, Vermilion, Legal and Leduc areas.

Engagement Announcement

M. and Mrs. Wm. Ballard of Atmore wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Elizabeth, to William Isaac of Athabasca.

Athabasca Girl Weds In Chapel Ceremony

ATMORE—A quiet chapel wedding was solemnized in All Saints' Cathedral, Edmonton, on Jan. 28, when Vivian Johnson of Athabasca became the bride of Donald Ballard of Atmore. Rev. Sparling officiated.

The bride wore a floor-length gown of white taffeta and lace with a net overskirt. She wore a chapel veil and carried a large bouquet of pink and white carnations and roses. She was attended by three bridesmaids, Evelyn Johnson, Patricia and Elizabeth Ballard.

The best men were Stanley Ballard, George Hewka and Lloyd Johnson.

On the evening of Jan. 29 their wedding dance was held in the Atmore Hall. The music was supplied by Rosaire Plamondon and his gang. The young couple will make their home on their farm near Atmore.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Duperron, a son, baptized under the name of Normand, Guy, Godfather and godmother are Mr. Alfred Baulanger and Miss Angeline Baulanger.

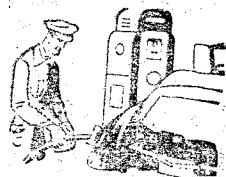
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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF OF WASYL NYKOLYN, late of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, Retired Farmer, deceased.

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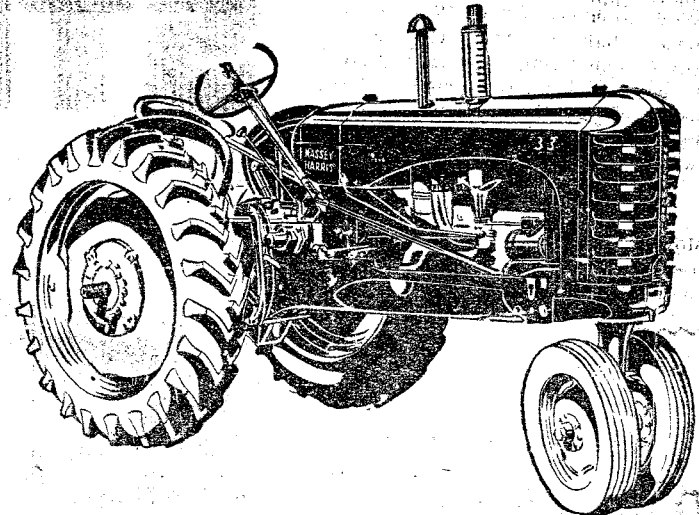
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Miss Amiot Weds In Egg Lake Church

On Jan. 26 in Egg Lake Church a pretty wedding was celebrated when Miss Jeannine Amiot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Amiot, was united in marriage with Andrew Tkach, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Tkach of Veteran, Alta. Rev. A. Ricard of Plamondon performed the ceremony.

The bride was lovely in a dress of nylon lace over satin, with a panel of nylon pleated net. Her finger-tip veil was held by a halo of feathers.

The bridesmaid was Miss Rita Pelletier of Lac la Biche, with Raymond Tkach, brother of the groom, as best man. Mrs. J. Clark of Lac la Biche was matron of honor and Mr. J. Clark as best man.

Mrs. Albert Gaudet of Plamondon had charge of the music. Hymns were beautifully rendered in both French and English by Mrs. Gaudet, her son, Charles and his wife, also Mrs. Maurice Lebeuf.

After the ceremony dinner was served at the home of the bride, followed by a reception all afternoon and in the evening.

The newlyweds left the next day for a short honeymoon in the Rocky Mountains. They will make their residence at Neudorf.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. L'Heureux have received the news that their daughter, Marie Jeanne (Mrs. James Rudiger) has given birth to a daughter on Jan. 9. They named her Jeannette Marie. Unfortunately, the baby died on Jan. 10. To Mr. and Mrs. Rudiger go sincere sympathies.

Mrs. Al Selinger has returned home to Hillspring after having stayed at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Amiot since Christmas.

Paul L'Heureux has gone fishing for Mr. H. M. Olson at Conklin.

Mrs. H. M. Olson has received

the welcome news that her father, Mr. George Chapman of Victoria, is recovering from pneumonia. It is wonderful news, considering Mr. Chapman's advanced age of 78.

Everyone is relieved to see the cold spell ended and can almost believe that spring is here, after having shivered in sub-zero weather for so long.

Fear Arson In Fatal City Blaze

EDMONTON (BUP)—Fire Marshall Jack Booth has ordered an investigation into the possibility of arson in a fire which ripped through a downtown Edmonton business and apartment block Sunday and killed one man and hospitalized 14 other persons.

The fire, which broke out simultaneously on all three floors of the Reed building, 9533 Jasper Avenue, about 1 a.m., claimed the life of William J. Mahoney, 81, who died en route to a hospital after being overcome by smoke.

City Fire Chief A. J. Lauder said arson was suspected because when firemen arrived flames were shooting out of the ground floor doorway and windows on the second and third floor of the frame building. The fire apparently originated in a hallway where there were no natural sources for the blaze to start. The hallway was lined with veneer.

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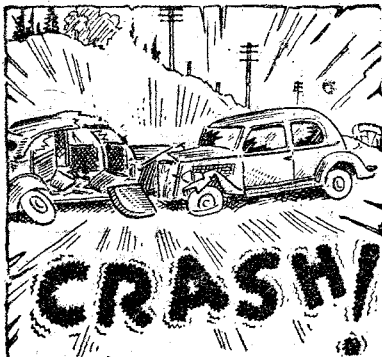
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High School To Hold Annual Mardi Gras

LAC LA BICHE — On January 26th, the Students' Union of the Dr. Swift School are holding their annual mardi gras. Three candidates have been chosen as aspirants to become queen of the annual extravaganza. The candidates chosen are: Miss Jean Tikkenan, Miss Doreen Proctor and Miss Olga Bakay, representing the Students' Union, Women's Institute and the Ukrainian Orthodox Church Society respectively.

Competition is very keen and nobody is willing to wager more than a dime on their favorite. A large number of tickets have already been sold thus assuring a successful event financially and otherwise. The queen will be crowned at the dance in the evening.



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